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ADAPTIVE EQUALIZER HAVING A VARIABLE STEP SIZE

INFLUENCED BY OUTPUT FROM A TRELLIS DECODER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

DRAWING AMENDMENT

Please amend FIG. 8 as shown. Replacement drawings are enclosed.

If a telephone interview could assist in the prosecution of this application, please call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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